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What to Take During 1910.

Take this paper.
Take comfort—if you can.
Take things easy—within reason.
Take the girl you love to be your wife.

Take care of your health. It is the most valuable thing you have.
Take a hint when it is intended for you. Don't wait to be knocked down.

Take flattery as an insult, and an honest compliment as something to be grateful for.

Take pains to be faithful and conscientious in business. It will bring you success.

Take offense only at things worth being offended at. It is a sure evidence of a small mind to notice trifles.

Take hold of any work that comes to your hand rather than be idle. Luck always waits upon the busy man.

Take time to be polite and kind always. Rudeness never pays, the boor may think so but he is wrong.

Take trouble like a man. Don't go whining about when it comes, but shut your mouth and stand up under it resolutely.

Take a trip now and then, and try to see something outside of the town you live in. Travel is one of the greatest of educators.

Take pains to do your work well. The conscientious worker is the one who gets to the front—and the one that never needs to be idle.

Take care that you make this day a model for all the days to come, and then copy after it. Live this day so that it will bring no regrets.

Take time, young man, to go out with your sister. If she is a good girl she is much more desirable company for you than that other girl who flirts with you so desperately.

Take the sunshine into your life as something to be grateful for; don't darken it with shadows of your own making. Trouble will come soon enough without your coining it.

Take your wife and children with you when you go out to be amused. That is not a proper amusement for you that you cannot take your wife to—and you know it.

Take as much care of your money as you can, if your means are limited; but don't try to save your smiles or your kind words. The more liberal you are with these the more you will have.

Take a walk—several of them. It is healthful to walk, and if it is a nice moonlight night, and some rich old man's pretty daughter is hanging on your arm, it is especially healthful.

Take time young woman to be kind to your brother—and go out with him when he wishes you to do so. He is one of your best friends, sure. He will protect you always. Take time to be good to him.

Take pains to hear both sides of a story before you come to a decision. Jumping at a conclusion, one time and another, has filled the world with enemies and deluged it in blood. Wait to hear both sides of a story before you speak.

Take a wife if you are able to support a wife, a very, very stylish one. It is every able bodied man's duty to help some good woman through the world. Where would you be now if your father had not done this?

Take heart, if you are cast down. Your luck will change ere the year is out. What though the clouds do cover you now, the sun will shine by and by. No life is made up altogether of shadows, and God never yet wholly deserted a resolute man or a brave woman. Fight on and victory will come at last.

Take a rest if you are able to afford it. Rest is sweet and you don't wear out while you are resting. The Savior bade the weary to come unto Him, and he promised them—rest.

In these days of scramble and rush we often wish that the boys would learn how much of wisdom there is in the old Latin motto, "Festina lente"—hasten slowly. Scores of young men are betrayed into imprudence by their impetuosity. They are always in haste and always distanced.

St. Valentine's Day.

Superstition is nearly as old as man and that it exists now quite as strong though not as widespread as in the early ages of our world, is proved by the various rites and ceremonies practiced on certain days throughout the year. Even those who ridicule them, yet participate in them "just for fun" have a lingering half-suspicion in their minds that they might come true; especially in this case when inclination points the way. St. Valentine is the acknowledged patron saint of lovers; and the peculiar customs connected with the day were referred to by writers nearly 500 years ago.

Follow this advice.

Quaker Oats is the best of all foods; it is also the cheapest. When such men as Prof. Fisher of Yale University and Sir James Crichton Browne, LL.D., F.R.S., of London spend the best parts of their lives in studying the great question of the nourishing and strengthening qualities of different foods, it is certain that their advice is absolutely safe to follow.

Professor Fisher found in his experiments for testing the strength and endurance of athletes that the meat eaters were exhausted long before the men who were fed on such food as Quaker Oats. The powers of endurance of the non-meat eaters were about eight times those of the meat eaters.

Sir James Crichton Browne says—eat more oatmeal, eat plenty of it and eat it frequently.

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ago. The St. Valentine who suffered martyrdom on the 14th of February was one of fifty-two saints of that name, but nothing has ever been found in his life or in the lives of any of them, that would give occasion for the singular observances of the day. It has been maintained that it was an ancient custom among the Romans during the Lupercalia, celebrated in the month of February for the boys and men to draw the names of their future wives in honor of their goddess, Februa Juno, and that the Christian clergy finding it absolutely impossible to abolish this heathen practice changed it to a religious ceremony by writing on the slips of paper instead of the names of women those of particular saints whom they were to follow an imitate during the year.

In England, Scotland, France and some other parts of the continent it was formerly the custom of the young people to meet, write each other's or some of their acquaintances' names on a slip of paper, which were thrown into a box from which they were drawn, the men taking the girls' names and vice versa. The person thus drawing became one's valentine and for a whole year was bound to devote himself to the one who drew him. Sometimes, of course, this led to real engagements between the parties, and often tricks were played in such a way that the slips of paper fell into the hands they were meant for. During the fifteenth century married people could be chosen as well as those who were not married, and often very valuable presents were exchanged.

This would be a great and glorious old world in a few years if our children would only achieve what we expect and predict for them.

PAINTSVILLE NEWS.

COLUMN OF INTERESTING ITEMS GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

School and Church.

Arrangements are being made to construct a modern church building at Van Lear and at the same time establish a seminary there. Miss Mary Moore, of Catlettsburg, will have charge of the work which is being done under the auspices of the Women's Home Mission Society of the Southern Methodist Church. Miss Moore, a daughter of the late Col. Laban T. Moore, the noted lawyer of Catlettsburg, has devoted years to the mission work. She has splendid executive ability and the success of this great and good undertaking is assured.

Stewart Wants It.

R. Lee Stewart, of Knott county, who was recently appointed private secretary to Representative Langley, in letters to friends here, announces his prospective candidacy for the office of Railroad Commissioner of this, the third district. Mr. Stewart is well and favorably known throughout the eastern part of Kentucky, and will no doubt give a good account of himself when the Republican convention meets to nominate their standard-bearer.

A special from Covington, Ky., says: "Marshal A. B. Patrick, as the successor of Federal Marshal Steve Sharp, took charge of the office Tuesday morning, where he met some of his field deputies and the office force. Marshal Patrick said: 'I shall retain the office force for the time being, as they are competent persons. My deputies will be Bill Mays, with headquarters at Richmond. Mr. Mays has served under Captain Sharp for years and is known to be a terror among moonshiners, he having only recently captured three moonshiners and a deserter of the army in a raid in the hills of Owingsville; Clint Allen, M. Sterling; Steve Rose, Grayson; Talbot Holliday, Hazard; George Thompson, London; Sam Van Beber, Pineville; N. I. McDaniel, Frankfort, and Blackburn Gambill, Jackson.'

Marshal Patrick said he did not know who he would appoint as his successor as Deputy Marshal at Salyersville. He has been a terror to the lawbreakers.

Salyersville News.

Jack Patrick, brother of A. B. Patrick, Marshal for the Eastern district of Kentucky, received his appointment of Deputy Marshal to succeed his brother in this district. E. B. Arnett is confined to his room with grippe.

O. A. Sears, of Columbus, Ohio, has been in town several days looking after land matters.

Mrs. Abner Salyer, mother of our County Judge, who has been sick for some time, died last Wednesday. Her remains were interred in the family cemetery, near Sublett.

A corps of engineers came through Greasy Gap and down Licking river, and are now stopping at the Prater Hotel. They refuse to discuss the survey or anything else connected with their work. They are going to survey down the river from here.

A. Floyd Byrd, attorney from Winchester, is here attending court. Judge R. C. Salyer returned to town Saturday after an absence of several days, during the illness and death of his mother.

Hon. Sam Patrick, former member of the Kentucky Legislature, is mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for Commissioner of Agriculture. Mr. Patrick is a citizen of Magoffin county, is strong throughout the Eastern section of the State, a practical farmer and a splendid campaigner, and it is not at all unlikely he may be given the nomination.

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BURIED NEAR LOUISA.

SOME HISTORIC FACTS ABOUT SISTER OF KENTUCKY'S NOTED STATESMAN.

The following is from the Catlettsburg Tribune:

Ten miles above the town of Louisa, on what is known as the old Dyer farm, there is an antiquated burying ground in which a number of the first settlers of that section of the Big Sandy valley were buried. A report says that there is today scarcely anything there to indicate that such a thing as a graveyard was ever there. One might pass over the ground a thousand times and unless they were told that they were within the sacred and hallowed precincts of a "city of the dead" they would never think of such a thing. Portions of it are said to have been plowed over by the farmers who have owned the place; cattle and sheep have grazed upon the grounds, and in many ways the old graveyard has been desecrated, until it has practically passed beyond notice.

Despite all this neglect and lack of interest among those who have lived in the community there is the dust of persons quietly sleeping beneath the sod who never should have been forgotten, most prominent among them being a sister of the great Kentucky statesman and congressman, the illustrious Henry Clay. Numerous descendants of this woman reside in this section of the country. In fact, the number of her offspring is almost legion. They have been scattered abroad until there is scarcely a state in the Union but in which some of them may be found.

The name of this woman was Patience Clay Chapman, the wife of George Chapman, one of the pioneer settlers of Eastern Kentucky, who entered a boundary of land on both sides of the Big Sandy river, extending several miles along the river. The maiden name of the woman was Patience Clay, and she was married to George Chapman in Virginia, and she with her husband came to the Big Sandy country from Giles county, that State. Soon after having moved into that section Chapman returned to their former home to collect some money and the night before he was to start on his return trip overland to Kentucky, he was seized with a violent illness and died that night, the circumstances of his death ever having been believed to have been surrounded by suspicious features, as none of the money he was known to have had in his possession was ever recovered by his family. He was buried in Giles county and his widow continued to reside in Kentucky for several years when she died and was buried in the old graveyard above mentioned. For many years her grave was kept marked by only a crude stone marker, such as was usually used for that purpose in that early day, but finally the grave was neglected and it is said that no one could locate it with any degree of accuracy today.

Among her descendants are the McClures, the Pecks, the Chapmans, she having been the mother of the writer's grandfather. Besides those above mentioned she had a daughter who continued to reside in Giles county, Va., whose descendants represent many of the prominent families in that section of the country.

The farm on which the grave is located was transferred to two sons of Mrs. Patience Clay Chapman, David and George Chapman, who owned it for a long time, when it passed into other hands and since then has been owned by a number of persons, remotely related to the pioneer woman. In later years we believe that the farm has been known as the "Burgess" farm.

The original boundary of land was divided between the following children of George Chapman, the senior: Isaac Chapman, Mrs. Lucretia-Chapman McClure, Mrs. Elizabeth-Chapman Peck, Archibald Chapman and George and David Chapman, above named.

George Chapman went west in an early day and there are said to be numerous descendants of him residing in Oregon and Washington state. Archibald Chapman disposed of his interest in the Kentucky lands and moved to Gallia county, Ohio.

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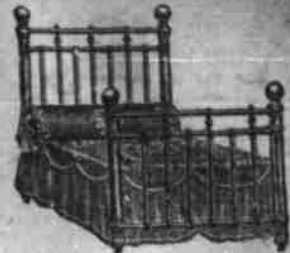
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Appalachian Exposition.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 19.—The Appalachian Exposition, to be held in this city September 15 to October 8 of the present year, is being prepared in the interest of the industrial and commercial development of the entire Appalachian mountain region. This includes portions of East Tennessee, Western North Carolina, Southwest Virginia, West Virginia, southeastern Kentucky, North Georgia, North Alabama and a part of South Carolina. No section of the entire United States of corresponding area has as vast deposits of latent mineral and timber wealth and agriculture and industrial possibilities as has the Appalachian region of these eight states. With the view of bringing these resources and their possibilities more directly to the attention of the people of the country at large and particularly those living in the Appalachian section, this exposition has been designed. It has been located in Knoxville because of the fact that this city is the geographical center of the Appalachian region and is within easy reach by rail.

Agents of the exposition are now getting in touch with all parts of the Appalachian country, with a view to bringing here exhibits of the products, industries, civic and other resources of the various states. This comprehensive exhibition plan will result in an array of possessions of this region that has never been equalled. The fact that the Appalachian Exposition is to be an annual affair is a further impetus to the country interested to make it a brilliant achievement, and the show of this year will be but a forerunner of many greater exhibits in future years.

At the head of the exposition enterprise is W. J. Oliver, the most widely known man in all the Appalachian region. Mr. Oliver is a celebrated railroad builder and manufacturer and iron mill operator. He became famous throughout the world as the man who made the lowest bid for the construction of the Panama Canal, and had the work been let to contract it would have been awarded to him. Mr. Oliver is putting into the exposition organization the same energy and ability that has made possible his personal success, and his connection with it assures a signal achievement.

In addition to industrial, commercial, art, domestic science, live stock, agricultural and numerous other exhibits peculiar to this section of the South, the Federal Government will also have an exhibit. If the recommendations of the Congressional Exposition Committee Chairman prevail, which undoubtedly will be the case, President Taft has already accepted the invitation of the exposition officials to visit the show, and other officials of national reputation will also be here. The amusement feature is being provided for, splendid Midways, airship, horse races, automobile races and other attractions being engaged. This exposition will be second to none that has ever been held in the South.

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